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1. CONCUR PAR F (4) OF REF, "DESIRED MINIMUM PENETRATION ALT BASE PLUS 180", HOWEVER WE BELIEVE ARTICLE 362 WILL ONLY REACH APPROX 17.4 AT BEGINNING OF FIRST FLIGHT LINE ON MSN C104C. AS YOU ARE AWARE, ALTITUDE AT THAT POINT COULD VARY 200 TO 300 FT DEPENDING UPON TEMPER.

2. OUR EXPERIENCE TO DATE ON PRECISE ALTITUDES WITH THE "B" CONFIG INSTALLED IN "G" MODEL IS LIMITED BUT WE BELIEVE ALTITUDE 400 TO 500 FT BELOW THE "F" MODEL.

3. IN EVENT ARTICLE 362 HAS ONLY REACHED BASE PLUS 17.4 IS THIS ACCEPTABLE FOR FIRST LINE. REALIZE THIS VERY DIFFICULT TO PIN DOWN PRECISELY BUT COULD YOU PROVIDE US A MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE ALT FOR PENETRATION.

END OF MESSAGE

TOP SECRET

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